

# THE FAYETTE FALCON.

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## Will Drill For Oil

In the belief that oil exists in the neighborhood of Somerville, Fayette County, Tenn., and in Drew County, near Monticello, Ark., a company has been formed and application for charter made in the name of the Memphis Business Men's Oil Syndicate. The Capitalization is placed at \$150,000. Leases for five years have been made on 5000 acres near Somerville and on 2,500 acres in Drew County, Ark., according to Dr. A. F. Twogood of this city one of the incorporators. Dr. Twogood stated drilling would be under way on the Arkansas property by the middle of June, the derricks now being erected. Also he expected drilling operations to begin on the Somerville leases in the near future.

The services of two geologists were secured by the men interested to make a study of the formation prior to entering into the leases. The incorporators are W. Andrew Pollard of Bowling Green Ky., Maurice B. Gorsuc of Baltimore, Md., Dr. A. F. Twogood, A. W. Ketchum, and Edward G. Riddick of this city. Messrs. Pollard and Gorsuc are said to be expert oil men.

Dr. Twogood stated that the Arkansas leases adjoin property controlled by Dr. Busey, who first struck oil at El Dorado, Ark., and who now has two outfits set up in Drew County to which locality Dr. Busey, according to Dr. Twogood has transferred his operations.

The above was clipped from last Sunday's Commercial Appeal. Visitors from Somerville to Memphis are repeatedly asked about the oil status in Fayette county, there being many times the talk about it there that one hears here. Advertising matter is being scattered there offering Fayette county oil stock for sale.

## Attachment

R. L. Parker) Before D. C. Boyd, Justice of the Peace for Fayette County, Tenn. In this cause it appears by affidavit that the defendant, Manuel Moore, is justly indebted to the plaintiff, and has removed himself from the State, absconded, and is absconding and concealing himself so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, and has fraudulently disposed of his property, and an original attachment having been levied on his property and returned to me, it is therefore ordered that publication be made in the Fayette Falcon, a newspaper published in the town of Somerville, Tenn., for four consecutive weeks, commanding the said Manuel Moore to appear before me at my office in Somerville, Tennessee, on the 21st day of June, 1921, and make defense to said suit or it will be proceeded with ex parte.

This May 13th, 1921  
D. C. BOYD, J. P. 6-10

## Subscribe For The Falcon

## Club Subscription Offers

So many requests come to The Falcon for club subscription offers that we print here a few of the ones most asked for, with the subscription price of the two papers and the price we make.

	Both For
Daily Commercial Appeal.....	\$7.00
The Falcon.....	2.00
	<b>\$7.75</b>
Daily and Sunday Commercial Appeal.....	\$9.50
The Falcon.....	2.00
	<b>\$9.75</b>
News Scimitar.....	\$5.00
The Falcon.....	.00
	<b>\$6.50</b>
Progressive Farmer.....	\$2.00
The Falcon.....	1.00
	<b>\$2.65</b>

We also have clubbing rates with Southern Agriculturist, Southern Ruralist, and other farm papers, poultry papers, fashion papers, and on many of the leading newspapers and magazines of the country. Many subscribers make up their list and save enough to pay for The Falcon several times over in the year's reading. We can save the full price of The Falcon to any subscriber who takes as many as one daily paper and three others, any kind. Try Us.

## THE FAYETTE FALCON

Somerville, Tennessee

## Book Club

The Craddock Book was delightfully entertained Tuesday afternoon by Messdames H. L. Armstrong and R. B. Young in the beautiful lawn of the former.

Progressive Finch was enjoyed by a large number of members and guests. The most successful players were Mrs. C. W. Crawford and Miss Minna Wirwa. The former receiving a hand embroidered towel and the latter a dainty handkerchief. Miss Bernice Lipsky was awarded the Consolation prize.

A delicious salad course was enjoyed by those so fortunate as to be present. As the sun was sinking in the west the guests, loathe to depart, declared it one of the most enjoyable parties of the season.

## About Rheumatism

People are learning that it is only a waste of time and money to take medicine internally for chronic and muscular rheumatism, and about ninety-nine out of a hundred cases are one or the other of these varieties. All that is really necessary to afford relief is to apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely. Try it. It costs but 35 cents per bottle. Large size 60 cents. adv.

In the whole field of medicine there is not a healing remedy that will repair damage to the flesh more quickly than BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. In cuts, wounds, sprains, burns, scalds and rheumatism, its healing and penetrating power is extraordinary. Sold by Price Drug Co. adv.

## The Recent Bank Statement

Statements of the condition of the eight banks of Fayette county were published two weeks ago upon the call of the State Banking Department and they show a remarkably good condition of these institutions for the strenuous financial situation.

According to the statements published the total deposits in the eight banks at that time were more than three quarters of a million dollars, and only \$179,000 was shown owing to other banks. That times are close in financial matters everyone knows well enough, but the banks are carrying as large deposits as shown by the statements mentioned, and are in as good condition in every way shows the conditions here at least no worse than in other sections, and far better than in many sections. It is certainly gratifying to compare these statements to see that the banks of the county are safe and sound and able to take care of the business of their customers, even though they can not make loans for new business, speculations, etc. The Fayette County Bank maintains its position with first place in deposits and in total assets, while the Somerville Bank & Trust Company has taken second place from the Moscow Bank which has held it for several years.

## Getting Acquainted Sale

AT COHN'S Successor To

J. H. Webb

Starting Saturday, May 21  
Everything Marked in Plain Figures

Merchandise at Actual Cost Price

## Strawberry Growers Organize

An enthusiastic meeting of local strawberry growers was held in the circuit court room Tuesday afternoon with a good sized gathering of growers and business men present.

The officers elected were W. T. Loggins, President, E. Allen Vice-President, N. M. Gibson Secretary, and Capt. E. A. Madnox Treasurer.

Lists were exhibited showing pledges for 106 acres of berries to be planted at once and others present promised additional acreage when they heard the discussions and saw the organization of the association. Discussion covered matters of planting, growing, fertilizing, marketing, etc. and were entered into by numerous ones of those present. Cashiers of both local banks were present and pledged the assistance of those institutions to encourage the berry culture in any way possible, and it was proposed to employ an experienced berry grower to come here and supervise the planting, growing and marketing of the crop until our people are familiar with all points connected with the crop.

Another meeting was ordered to be held at the court house Saturday afternoon, tomorrow, 4:30, at which time an experienced berry grower will be here to address the meeting and advise methods on getting the industry started properly here. Every citizen who pledged an acreage to berries is urged to be present and to have ready the money to pay for his plants. The Secretary has a bid of \$2.00 per 1000 for furnishing the plants and it will require a little over 8000 plants per acre. If any grower cannot finance the planting of his acreage the local banks will assist him to do it.

The meeting was an enthusiastic one, and a deep interest was shown in the subject. It was evident that those present see the necessity of getting away from cotton as the only money crop for this section. A resolution was adopted requesting all local stores to close Saturday afternoon during the meeting.

There can be no question about this being one of the most important steps taken locally for a long time. Berries this year have made every berry growing community prosperous, and when the culture is thoroughly established here it will bring a higher degree of prosperity here than we have yet enjoyed.

## Notice To Creditors

Having qualified as Executor of the Estate of D. D. Mays, deceased, in the County Court of Fayette County, Tennessee, on the 9th day of May, 1921, all parties having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to file their claims with the County Court Clerk of said County in the manner and within the time required by law duly authenticated, or the same will be forever barred.

This May 9th, 1921. 6-3  
(Miss) EMMA MAYS, EX'X.  
Dancyville, Tenn.

## Alarm Clocks

Fred Goodman has just received 50 Deluxe Nickel Case Alarm Clocks fully guaranteed which will be sold for \$1.50 cash. 6 10 adv

## Notice of Stray Stock

Came to my place March 14th, 1921 one sorrel filly with blaze face aged about 3 years. J. W. SIMMONS, Moscow, Tenn. 6-3

## Mrs. J. E. Lewis

Mrs. J. E. Lewis, wife of J. E. Lewis mother of five children, three girls and two boys, died Thursday morning at 7 o'clock, May 19, 1921, leaving to mourn one sister, five children, husband, mother, one brother, besides many friends and kin folks. She was loved by all who knew her.

Funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church at Bethlehem, 3 p. m. Friday.

BY ONE WHO LOVED HER

## Four year Old Jersey Breaks State Record For Butterfat Production

Dairying is fast becoming one of the big industries in Tennessee. The quality of cows is rapidly being improved and every few months records for butterfat and milk production are being smashed. This is due to official cow testing work which makes it possible to know what each cow produces and enables the owner to weed out the "boarders" and send to the butcher block.

Lissite's Fairy, is the latest to set a new record. She is a four year old owned by George Bradford of Madison, Tenn., and has just finished an official record that places her as the champion junior four year old in Tennessee. She was started on test at four years and three months of age and produced 8,918 pounds of milk and 505 pounds of butterfat. This record places her among the top notch producers in this state. She is a grand daughter of Raleigh Fairy Boy.

Another important event for the dairy industry was the East Tennessee Jersey Breeders' Sale held at Knoxville on May 6, fifty-two head of high class cattle, including 49 cows and heifers and 3 bulls sold for \$8,105, an average of \$156. The highest priced animal sold brought \$425, and only a few brought under \$100. In view of present conditions in agricultural and industrial circles this was considered a good average by the breeders who made consignments to the sale. Buyers were present from four states and many parts of Tennessee indicating the interest in dairying at this time.

## Program For Community Club Meeting In May.

1. Call to order by President.
2. Song.
3. Reading of the minutes of last meeting.
4. How to cultivate young corn, (boy)
5. How to make strawberry preserves (girl)
6. Cultivating sweet and Irish potatoes. (boy)
7. Bread making contests (girl)
8. The value of livestock judging. (boy)
9. The value of poultry judging. (girl)
10. Discussions led by county agent or local club leader.

## A Texas Wonder.

The Texas Wonder for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, diabetes weak and lame back, rheumatism and bladder in both men and women. Regulate bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One small bottle is two months' treatment and often cures. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists, -adv. tf

## Club Girls Offered Trip To Chicago Meeting As Prize On Bread Making

The club girls of Middle Tennessee are now rejoicing over the fact that the winner in their bread making contest will be awarded a free trip to the National Club Convention to be held in Chicago during the International Live Stock show next December. H. O. Blackwood of Ford Flour Company of Nashville, Tennessee, has offered this prize trip and will pay all expenses of the winning girl.

An interesting plan for the contest has been outlined by Mrs. Hattie F. Wendell, District Agent for the Division of Extension, whose office is located at Columbia, and to whom all club girls are referred for any further particulars. In every community where girl's clubs are organized, each girl will make bread three times under instruction of the county home demonstration agent. The most successful bread maker in each community will go to the county contest which will be held in midsummer.

When all county contests are over, one representative from each county will have been selected to enter the district contest. Each representative to the district contest will be given all possible assistance by the home demonstration agents, and indeed it will be a keen contest when the county champion get together.

The final contest for the district will be held during the Middle Tennessee Farmer's Convention at Columbia. At the same time the winner of the prize will be announced. The Ford Flour Company is to be congratulated on making this offer which has put such enthusiasm in the bread making work. J. Allen Smith Company of Knoxville has made a similar offer to the club girls of East Tennessee.

Last year 500 club boys and girls from the United States and Canada attended this convention during the International Live Show for one week. Two boys from Tennessee were present. It will be nearer two dozen club boys and girls from all parts of the state to attend this great exposition in 1921.

## Suggestions for Camping Trip

Buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy before leaving home. As a rule it cannot be obtained when on a hunting, fishing or prospecting trip. Neither can be obtained while on board the cars or steamships and at such places it is most likely to be needed. The safe way is to have with you. adv.

## Do Your Best

Everyone should do all he can to provide for his family and in order to do this he must keep his physical system in the best condition possible. No one can reasonably hope to do much when he is sick a good share of the time. If you are constipated, bilious or troubled with indigestion get a package of Chamberlain's Tablets and follow the plain printed directions, and you will soon be feeling alright and able to do a day's work.

## High School Commencement

The closing exercises of the Fayette County High School have been on this week beginning last Sunday morning with the baccalaureate sermon which was preached at the Methodist church by Dr. B. G. Baskerville of this county.

On Monday night at Lipsky opera house was given an interesting entertainment by the pupils of the Grammar School and it was largely attended and much enjoyed. The feature of the evening entertainment was "A Marche of Dreams" played by the grade pupils.

Wednesday night was given the annual Declamation and Recitation contest between the two High School literary societies, Thursday night the Senior play, "Patelion" and "The Florist Shop", and on Friday night will close the week entertainment, the last of the series being the graduating exercises with the annual address by Prof. G. G. Fiskett of Clarksville, who was three years the Principal of the High School here.

The entertainments of Wednesday night, Thursday night and Friday night come off too late for further mention this week. These exercises bring to a close another year of the county high school and its work.

## IF WOMEN ONLY KNEW

What a Help of Happiness it Would Bring to Somerville Homes

Hard to do housework with an aching back. Brings you hours of misery at leisure or at work. If women only knew the cause—that

Backache pains often from weak kidneys.

"Would save much needless woe. Doan's Kidney Pills are for weak kidney. Ask your neighbor?

Read what a Somerville citizen says: Mrs. Chas. Starks, says: "Some years ago I had a very severe attack of kidney complaint. My back nearly killed me; it ached night and day and such a thing as doing my housework was out of the question. I had sick headaches, and would have to go and lie down when these attacks come on. Flashes of light would appear before my eyes, too. A friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I did. Doan's completely cured me and I have never had and return symptom of kidney trouble."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Starks had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs. Adv.

SURGEONS agree that in cases of Cuts, Burns, Bruises and Wounds, the FIRST TREATMENT is most important. When an EFFICIENT antiseptic is applied promptly, there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, BOROZONE is the IDEAL ANTISEPTIC and HEALING AGENT. Buy it now and be ready for emergency. Sold by Price Drug Co. adv.

## This Bank Has Grown

The Somerville Bank & Trust Company is next to the youngest bank in the county, started business eleven years ago with a paid capital of \$10,000 and has increased that paid capital to \$5,000 without the stockholders paying any more money, the \$15,000 additional capital being taken from the accumulated net earnings from time to time. The capital stock, \$5,000, is now fully paid, making this the second largest bank in the county. On the progressive and business-like plan which has made this growth possible, we invite the business of Fayette county people.

W. M. MAYO,

President

H. P. STAINBACK,

Cashier

Somerville Bank & Trust Co.